



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q58164

Toshihiro SHIMA

Appln. No.: 09/522,407

Group Art Unit: 2624

Confirmation No.: 4033

Examiner: King Y. POON

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
December 9, 2005 between Examiner King Y. Poon and Ellen R. Smith, Esq.:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) mailed December 12, 2005 was
received by Applicant's representatives.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None
2. Identification of claims discussed: Independent claims
3. Identification of art discussed: EP '067
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: Clarification of meaning of
"relevant order of priority".

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5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: EP '067 does not alter the priority of the tasks.

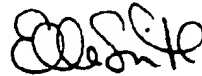
6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None

7. Results of Interview: None reached

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,



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